

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)

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Serial No. **09/402,488**)

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For: **Method for Cleavage of Fusion Proteins**)

Group Art Unit: **1635**

Examiner: **R. Hutson**

By Courier

The Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231
U.S.A.

Attention: Examiner R. Hutson

Dear Sir:

SUBMISSION OF DISKETTE/PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

The Examiner is respectfully requested to make the following amendments to the application:

In the Specification

Please replace pages 21-27 enclosed herewith, containing a Sequence Listing in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.821(c), for pages 21-27 of record.

Remarks

This is further to a letter dated June 8, 2000, requesting Applicants to amend the "General Information" section in the Sequence Listing as provided, on diskette, on June 6, 2000. By the present amendment Applicants have amended the "General Information" section in the Sequence Listing and request that the amended pages be made of record in the above-noted patent application. It is submitted that the amendments do not introduce any new matter and entry of the amendments are respectfully requested.

Applicants are also submitting herewith a Sequence Listing in computer readable form (a 3.5" floppy diskette) in the ASCII format.

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